



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 5604

January Session, 2001

***AN ACT AUTHORIZING REGULATIONS CONCERNING A VOTER
GUIDE FOR STATE ELECTIONS.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 (NEW) (a) The Secretary of the State shall adopt regulations, in
2 accordance with the provisions of chapter 54 of the general statutes,
3 concerning publication and distribution of a voter guide for state
4 elections in cooperation with candidates for offices at such elections.

5 (b) The voter guide shall contain biographical information, a
6 statement by each candidate not to exceed one hundred fifty words, a
7 photograph and contact information. The voter guide shall also
8 contain information concerning any constitutional question that may
9 appear on the ballot.

10 (c) The voter guide shall be published and made available in public
11 places and posted on the Internet. The guide posted on the Internet
12 may contain links to Internet web sites maintained by such candidates.

Statement of Legislative Commissioners:

In subsection (a), the words "for offices at such elections" were substituted for "for those offices" for clarity.

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